

(a) unless he holds one or more policies of life insurance issued by the Public Branch satisfying the following requirements :—

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- (i) The policies shall be Whole Life Policies or Endowment Life Insurance Policies and not encumbered in any way.
 - (ii) The total sum assured by the policies is not less than Rs. 5,000.
 - (iii) The policies shall have been in force for three full years.

Or

(b) if he holds any policy or policies issued by the Public Branch by way of assignment or transfer ;

(c) if he is or was a legal or technical adviser, agent or employee of the Insurance Department ;

(d) if he is an employee in the Service of the Mysore Government.

(2) If at any date after election as a Member a person ceases to hold one or more policies satisfying all the requirements specified in clause (a) of sub-rule (1) or becomes an assignee of Public Branch policies as noted in clause (b) or begins to hold any disqualifying office or employment specified in clauses (c) and (d), he shall forthwith cease to be an elected Member of the Insurance Committee.

II. (1) The applications from eligible persons prepared to accept office as elected Members of the Insurance Committee shall be sent by registered post to the office so as to reach it *not less than twenty days before the date of meeting*. Such applications shall be written in English or Kannada. If the number of applicants eligible for election is equal to or less than the number of Members to be elected, all such applicants shall be deemed to have been elected as Members and it shall not be necessary to hold the meeting of policy-holders as previously announced; policy-holders being intimidated forthwith by notice of the cancellation of the meeting.

(2) Every policy-holder who desires to attend the meeting shall apply to the Mysore Government Insurance Department for a certificate of admission, such application to reach the office *not less than twenty days before the date of meeting*, and on being satisfied that the applicant holds a policy issued by the Public Branch for an aggregate sum of Rs. 500 or more and current on 31st March 1952, the Department shall issue a certificate to him at least five days before the date of meeting. Such certificates shall, if applied for by post, be sent only to the address of the Policy-holder or, if applied for in person, be delivered only on production of the relevant policy or policies. *A certificate of admission shall not be transferable.*

(3) No person other than those whose presence is necessary for the conduct of the meeting shall be admitted to the meeting unless he produces the certificate of admission granted to him under sub-rule 2.

(4) The meeting shall be presided over by the President of the Insurance Committee or any Member nominated by him.

(5) Votes for the election of Members may be given at the meeting either personally or by proxy and in the manner hereinafter provided in this rule. The instrument appointing a proxy shall be in writing in the form prescribed by the Department and shall be executed on a one-anna Revenue-stamp, under the hand of the appointer in favour of a policy-holder and shall be presented at the office not less than twenty days before the date of the meeting. A policy-holder may appoint only one proxy irrespective of the number of policies he holds.

(6) Every policy-holder present at the meeting shall be given one voting paper on his own behalf and one voting paper in respect of each proxy, if any, which he holds. The number of votes to be given to each voting paper shall not exceed the number of Members to be elected and not more than one vote shall be given on each voting paper to any one candidate.

(7) The votes shall be counted by scrutineers appointed by the President. The result of the ballot shall be published in the *Mysore Gazette* after it is approved by the Government.

(8) An election held in accordance with this rule shall not be invalid merely by reason of the accidental omission

to send any notice or other document to, or the non-receipt of any notice or other document by, any one, or any other accidental irregularity or informality in the observance of the provisions of this rule.

(9) The tenure of a Member once elected according to these rules will be for three years with effect from the date of approval by Government.

(10) In the event of a casual vacancy arising among the Members elected in accordance with these rules, the President may fill up the vacancy, with the approval of Government, by appointing a policy-holder who is eligible under Rule 1 and the person so appointed shall be subject to retirement at the same time as the Member in whose place he is appointed would have retired had he held the said office.

NOTE.—(1) The qualifications to stand for election referred to in Rule I(1)(a) must be fulfilled as on the date of filing of application.

(2) All applications must be superscribed "Election" and must be properly stamped by the policy-holders.

(3) Persons intending to vote by proxy, may obtain the prescribed form from the undersigned.

(4) Letters connected with election must contain the name of the policy-holder, the correct policy number, the name of the Treasury or Bank, where the premia are credited in cash, or in deduction cases, the name of the Department by which the premia are recovered.

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Election of Members to the Insurance Committee.

Application Form.

- 1 Name of the applicant (assured)
- 2 Occupation and permanent address.
- 3 Policy Numbers together with the sum assured under each policy.
- 4 Whether the policy (or policies) taken on his life has (or have) been assigned to any one; if so, give details :—
(i) Name of Assignee
(ii) Date of Assignment
(iii) Amount for which the policies are assigned.
- 5 Whether the applicant has taken any loan from the Department on the security of the policy or policies.
The amount of loan on each policy.
- 6 Details of other encumbrances, if any.
- 7 Whether the applicant holds any policy or policies by way of assignment or transfer in his favour. If so, state the number of policy or policies together with the sum assured.
- 8 Mode of payment of the premium (monthly, quarterly, half-yearly or yearly).
- 9 The name of the Treasury or Bank in which the premium is being paid.
- 10 Whether the applicant is or was a legal or technical adviser, agent or employee of the Insurance Department or is an employee in the service of Mysore Government.

I hereby state that the details furnished by me are true. I have read the rules relating to the election of members and am prepared to accept office as elected member of the Committee, if elected.

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Signature of witness and
date.

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Signature of policy-holder
(assured) with date.

KOLAR DISTRICT.

Notification dated 1st August 1952.

No. A4. C. 98—52.53. The Notification dated 23rd July 1952 issued in this office, prohibiting the holding of the weekly shandy at Tookal and the weekly congregation at Guttahalli on Sravana Saturdays is withdrawn as cholera has subsided at these places as reported by the Health Officer, Kolar.

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